

WCAA AUGUST NEWSLETTER 2004

WAYNE DEER GAMES

The Wayne Deer Games will come to a close Saturday, August 21, when the decorated deer now situated at sponsoring businesses throughout Wayne County will be auctioned in downtown Honesdale. The auction will take place under the big top at the Park and Shop Lot on Main Street beginning at 2 p.m. Don't miss this opportunity to see the entire herd together and bid on your favorite deer. Food and refreshments will be available and deer artists are urged to attend. Proceeds from the sale of deer will be used for future WCAA arts programs. If you can help with the auction in any capacity (set-up, transportation, clean-up, T shirt sales, etc), please contact Ellen Silberlicht at 253-0285 or email techart@ptd.net.

OPEN STUDIO TOUR

Brochures are available for this year's Artists' Open Studio Tour from the Wayne County Visitors Center and many businesses throughout the county. They can also be downloaded from this website. Free to the public, the studio tour is a fabulous opportunity to see inside the working studios of many of our county's finest artists, meet the artists personally, see how art is made and purchase art at studio prices. This year's tour offers an exciting variety of diverse artistic disciplines including the traditional fine arts of painting, sculpture, printmaking and photography and offers in addition many unique fine crafts such as art-tiles, stoneware, puppetry, ceramics and bamboo-ware. Don't miss this chance to explore yet another of Wayne County's attractions, its largely unknown yet dynamically creative, artistic community.

LIFE DRAWING

The next life drawing session will be held September 2 at 7 p.m. in Joan Hill's studio, Bethany. For more information call Joan at 253-6824.

NATURE'S GRACE EXHIBIT

"Nature's Grace," Main Street, Honesdale, will exhibit the artwork of Robert Sepanak during the month of August.

LITERARY ARTS EVENINGS

The next literary arts evening will be held September 25 at 7 p.m. in Joan Hill's studio in Bethany. Poets, writers and spoken word artists are encouraged to attend. For more information or to be included in future programs, please call (570) 253-5400.

WCAA WEBSITE & NEWS

The newsletter committee welcomes submissions of possible interest to WCAA members. Please write to WCAA Newsletter, 1875 Fair Ave, Honesdale PA 18431, telephone 570-253-1000, or email wcaa@waynecountyartsalliance.org. Submission deadline is the third week of the month for the following month's newsletter. Inquiries with regard to our website may also be directed to

the above web-site address.

OPPORTUNITIES

Soho Gallery, 1815 Sanderson Ave, Scranton, PA, is seeking artists interested in taking part in an artists' Co-Op gallery. They are currently reviewing portfolios and are interested in showing all types of fine arts and crafts. Participating artists will be charged \$50 a month for a 3-month agreement with a 15% commission on sales. Works from the gallery are featured on the Soho Gallery's website, www.sohogallery.com and may be showcased during the gallery's planned schedule of receptions, demonstrations and workshops. For more specific information or for portfolio review, please contact Mike Trovato at (570) 342-3210 or email soho@epix.net making sure to put "portfolio submission" as the subject matter.